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WITHOUT A NOZZLE, AND
METHOD OF RETRIEVING A
CYLINDER

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 22, 2005

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 22, 2005 please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Applicants herewith petition the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to extend the time for reply to the Office Action dated March 22, 2005 for one month from June 22, 2005 to July 22, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0389/WBP, the fee of \$ 120.00 for a one month extension of time, \$50.00 for excess claims, and for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper and are accompanied by six replacement sheets. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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